

EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT

An examiner's amendment to the record appears below. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 CFR 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it **MUST** be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee.

Authorization for this examiner's amendment was given in a telephone interview with John Mion on 11/21/08.

The following changes to the drawings have been approved by the examiner and agreed upon by applicant:-- Figures 33 and 34 should be label as --Conventional Art--. In order to avoid abandonment of the application, applicant must make these above agreed upon drawing changes.

REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE

The following is an examiner's statement of reasons for allowance: With regards to claims 12, 14-20, 28, 30 and 32, the prior art of record does not disclose or fairly teach the specific circuit configuration with emphasis on said first and second diplexer circuits each comprising a lower-frequency filter circuit and a higher-frequency filter circuit, a band pass filter circuit being used as said lower-frequency filter circuit in said second diplexer circuit, or disposed between said lower-frequency filter circuit in said second diplexer circuit and said receiving circuit, said high-frequency switch circuit comprising first to fourth ports, said first port being connected to a first multi-band antenna, said second port being connected to a second multi-band antenna, said third

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port being connected to said first diplexer circuit, and said fourth port being connected to said second diplexer circuit. The closest prior art Shin 7,127,268 is not applicable since Applicant has perfected the priority claim by filing a verified English translation of the priority document. With regards to claims 13, 22-27, 29, 31 and 33, the prior art of record does not disclose or fairly teach the specific circuit configuration with emphasis on a coupling circuit for taking a transmission power from pluralities of communication systems is disposed between the high frequency switch and the first diplexer circuit.

Any comments considered necessary by applicant must be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee and, to avoid processing delays, should preferably accompany the issue fee. Such submissions should be clearly labeled "Comments on Statement of Reasons for Allowance."

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to KIMBERLY E. GLENN whose telephone number is (571)272-1761. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday-Friday 7:30 to 4:00.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Robert Pascal can be reached on (571)-272-1769. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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